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PELLETS**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Part B-Issue Fee Transmittal;
- (2) Submission of Replacement of Formal Drawings;
- (3) Form PTO -948 Notice of Draftsman's Patent Drawing Review;
- (4) 3 Sheets of Replacement Drawings;
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SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT SHEETS OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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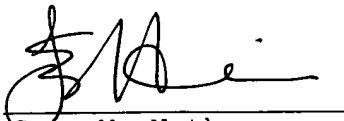
Sir:

In accordance with the Notice of Allowance dated September 16, 2005 requiring new Formal Drawings to include changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing review (PTO-948), replacement sheets of formal drawings are submitted herewith. It is submitted that these drawings obviate all of the objections to the drawings in said Notice.

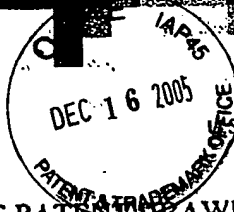
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NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S PATENT DRAWING REVIEW

The drawing(s) filed (insert date) 1/28/04 are:

- A. approved by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152.
B. X objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below. Corrected drawings are required.

1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings: Black ink or Color (3 sets required).

- Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is granted. Fig(s)
 Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s)

2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84(b)

- One (1) full-tone set is required. Fig(s)
 Photographs may not be mounted. 37 CFR 1.84(c)
 Photographs must meet paper size requirements of 37 CFR 1.84(f). Fig(s)
 Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s)

3. TYPE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(c)

- Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable. Fig(s)

X Erasures, alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, copy machine marks not accepted. Fig(s) 1-7

4. SIZE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable sizes:

- 21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4) or
 21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2x 11 inches)
 All drawing sheets not the same size. Sheet(s)

 Drawings sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s)

5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins:

Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm

 Margins not acceptable. Fig(s)

 Top (T) Left (L)

 Right (R) Bottom (B)

6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)

REMINDER: Specification may require revision to correspond to drawing changes, e.g., if Fig. 1 is changed to Fig. 1A, Fig 1B and Fig. 1C, etc., the specification, at the Brief Description of the Drawings, must likewise be changed.

 Views not labeled separately or properly. Fig(s)

7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)(3)

 Sectional designation should be noted with Arabic or Roman numbers. Fig(s)

8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)
 Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion when page is either upright or turned so that the top becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig(s)

9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(k)

 Scale not large enough to show mechanism without crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two-thirds in reproduction. Fig(s)

10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, & LETTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(l)

X Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well defined, clean, durable, and black (poor line quality). Fig(s) 1-7

11. SHADING. 37 CFR 1.84(m)

X Solid black areas pale. Fig(s) 1-4, 6, 7
 Solid black shading not permitted. Fig(s)

12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE CHARACTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(p)

X Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible. Fig(s) 1-7

 Figure legends are poor. Fig(s)

 Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1) Fig(s)

 English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) Fig(s)

X Numbers, letters and reference characters must be at least 32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3). Fig(s) 1-7

13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)

 Lead lines missing. Fig(s)

14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(t)

 Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numbers beginning with number 1. Sheet(s)

15. NUMBERING OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(u)

 Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals, beginning with number 1. Fig(s)

16. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152

 Surface shading shown not appropriate. Fig(s)

 Solid black surface shading is not permitted except when used to represent the color black as well as color contrast. Fig(s)

COMMENTS:

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